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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 1885**  
Yoshio UMEZAWA et al. : Attorney Docket No. 2005\_1691A  
Serial No. 10/554,194 : Group Art Unit 1656  
Filed October 24, 2005 : Examiner Agnes B. Rooke

PROBES FOR DETECTION AND  
QUANTIFICATION OF LIPID SECOND  
MESSENGERS AND A METHOD FOR  
DETECTING AND QUANTIFYING LIPID  
SECOND MESSENGERS USING  
THE SAME

: **Mail Stop: AF**

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated August 20, 2008, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

***Response Under 37 CFR 1.116  
Expedited Procedure  
Examining Group 1600***

***The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency  
or to credit any overpayment associated with this  
communication to Deposit Account No. 23-0975.***